[Mr. K. George.]

NOES—18.

1. Mr. L. R. Raja Raja Varma Koil Tampuran.	10. Mr. K. Paramesvaran Pillai. (*Tiruvalla.*)
2. ,, T. K. Velu Pillai.	11. ,, T. Kumara Pillai.
3. ,, P. T. Thomas.	12. ,, V. Kunjukrishna Pillai.
4. ,, N. Ramakrishna Pillai.	13. ,, C. P. Kochukunju Pillai.
5. The Rev. Fr. Kuriakose Vettikkapalli.	14. ,, M. K. Khadir Pillai.
6. Mr. M. R. Madhava Variar.	15. ,, A. Hoogewerf.
7. ,, P. K. Narayana Pillai.	16. ,, A. Govinda Menon.
8. ,, M. N. Pillai.	17. ,, T. M. Chidambaratanu Pillai.
9. ,, Joseph Panjikaran.	18. ,, S. Adam Sait.

The motion was declared carried.

DEMAND VII.—GENERAL ADMINISTRATION, SECRETARIAT, etc.

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): Sir, I beg to move for a grant not exceeding Rs. 5,000 for payment of travelling allowance to the non-official members of the Legislative Council. The allotment provided for the purpose in the year's budget was Rs. 12,000. Out of this, a portion, *viz.*, Rs. 3,356, was spent for payment of the bills of 1098 and the balance for payment of the bills of the current year, and thus the whole allotment has been exhausted. Including this, there will be two more meetings of the Council this year and the expenditure on account of travelling allowance to the non-official members in connection with these meetings is estimated at Rs. 5,000. Hence this amount has to be sanctioned as a supplementary grant.

MR. T. K. VELU PILLAI (*Trivandrum cum Nedumangad*): May I ask why the amount under "Travelling Allowance to members" was not correctly calculated at the time of the budget?

PRESIDENT: We have had a number of select committee meetings. Besides, we are having four meetings of the Council instead of three.

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): The revised estimate for 1098 was Rs. 17,000. If the additional sum of Rs. 5,000 now asked for is sanctioned, the total allotment will come to Rs. 17,000 only.

PRESIDENT: May I take it that the House sanctions the demand?

The grant was made.

DEMAND VIII.—GENERAL ADMINISTRATION, ACCOUNT OFFICE.

MR. K. GEORGE (*Financial Secretary to Government*): Sir, I beg to move for a grant not exceeding Rs. 750 under Demand VIII—General Administration—Account Office. This is to meet the pay

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